

Dear Parents, Carers, Children and Staff,

Newsletter Date: 26/04/2024

At last, we have some beautiful sunshine, it has been lovely to see the children play on the field and we hope that some of them will be able to eat their lunch outside too before long! We have had some visitors in school over the week who have been very complementary about our staff and children. After one visit this week a headteacher emailed to say how impressed he was with the teaching and learning of maths but also how, 'The children were also an absolute credit to the school. Your school is always so impressive!'

**PTA Coffee Morning,** stop for a coffee and a chat in the school bungalow, after drop off on **Friday 10th May**. Find out about fundraising events planned for this term, and see how you could get involved. Hear more about the upcoming Colour Run and Summer Fete and see how the money raised by PTA makes a difference to our school. Feel free to bring younger siblings in with you!

Non uniform day, Friday 10th May please bring in a donation of £1, Harriet from year 4 is raising money for Children with Cancer UK charity, she is climbing Mount Snowden in June and has a just Giving page if you would like to donate more money then please follow this link https://www.justgiving.com/page/harriet-dodd-1706724926582? utm\_medium=fundraising&utm\_content=page%2Fharriet-dodd-1706724926582&utm\_source=email&utm\_campaign=pfpemail JustGiving sends your donation straight to Children with Cancer UK and automatically reclaims Gift Aid if you are a UK taxpayer, so your donation is worth even more. Thank you for your support!

**Cycle helmets** it's so great to see many of our children travel to and from school on their bikes, please can 1 remind you that cycle helmets must be worn. Thank you.

Flame of Friendship torch relay In preparation for Paris 2024 Olympic and Paralympic Games Coventry schools are participating in the Flame of Friendship torch relay. Coundon Primary will be delivering the torch to us on Thursday 13th June at approximately 10:40am. As a school we will welcome the torch's arrival and have a whole school welcoming ceremony on the KS2 playground. Our children will be welcoming the torch with flags and banners to celebrate friendship and unity. It will be a whole school non-uniform day where the children are asked to wear sports clothing. Thursday PM and Friday AM the torch will visit each year group. At 1:15pm the torch will leave us and make its journey to Allesley Hall Primary. This is going to be a very exciting event bringing Coventry children together.

**Summer Fete** we are looking for stall holders for our Summer Fete, which will take place on Saturday 6th July. If you'd like to have a stall please complete this form <u>Allesley Primary PTA Summer fete 2024 Stall holders' Booking Form</u>

Have a great weekend

L Hoey

Headteacher



Year 6 Drayton Manor Trip Friday 17<sup>th</sup> May £27.00 as a reward for all their hard work with the SATS this year. Year 1 Circus Workshop Tuesday 21st May £7.50 as part of our 'Roll Up, Roll Up' theme this term, we would like the children to take part in a unique 'Shooting Stars' circus skills workshop.

Year 6 Cadburys World Tuesday 4th June £12.00 as part of their theme the Maya Civilisation.

Reception classes Hatton Country World Tuesday 11th June £17.50 as part of their Understanding of the World theme. Year 4 Coombe Abbey Monday 17th June £12.00 as part of our science topic on living things and their habitats.

Nursery Ash End Farm Wednesday 19th June £22.50 If your child does not attend Nursery on this day, they are invited Year 2 Twycross Zoo Tuesday 25th June £18.50 to support our theme Animals, habitats and food chains.

Year 3 Cotswold Wildlife Park Friday 28th June £24.00 as part of their learning in Science they will engage in a talk on Lifecycles.

Year 6 Safeside Thursday 11th July £15.00 this is a wonderful opportunity for the children to gather as many skills as possible in readiness for Secondary school in September.

Please make payment via the 'My Child At School' online payment system under the trips heading.





### Attendance

Week 15th - 19th April 2024

**Highest Mrs Manwaring** Year 4 98% Attendance.

Whole school 95.07%!



#### Coming to the Albany Theatre SOON!

YOG - Youth Operatta Group, and winners of a NODA Award for best youth theatre production - are now performing this show! Why not come along and see some of Allesley Primary's home-grown ex-students, and support this wonderful cast! Tickets available through the Albanu Theatre box office.

#### YOG 'SCHOOL OF ROCK'

DNESDAY 8TH TO SATURDAY 11TH MAY 2024

Coventry Youth Operetta Group (YOG) presents School of Rock the musical based on the hit movie of the same name

Follow Dewey Finn a struggling rock singer and guitarist who takes on the challenge of forming a junior ROCK BAND whilst disguised as a substitute teacher!

What could go wrong?

Are you ready to rock the stage like never before? Step into the spotlight and join us for an electrifying journey at the School of Rock: The Musical!

Experience the thrill of musical theatre as you dive into the world of rock 'n' roll with our talented cast and crew. With heart-pounding tracks and performances, to powerhouse vocals, our show promises to leave you on the edge of your seat, craving more

This wonderful, musical extravaganza is fun for all the family and a fantastic night out!



Year 1 If I Ran The Circus by Dr Seuss, recommended by Emily F

Year 2 Dr Seuss' Sleep Book by Dr Seuss recommended by George

Year 3 Kipper's snowy day by Mick Inkpen recommended by Jason P

Year 4 Hiccup, horrendous haddock the third by Cressida Cowell recommended by Ben H

Year 5 Cosmic by frank Cottrell - Boyce recommended by Fin A

**Year 6** Percy Jackson and the Lightning Thief by Rick Riordan recommended by Heath





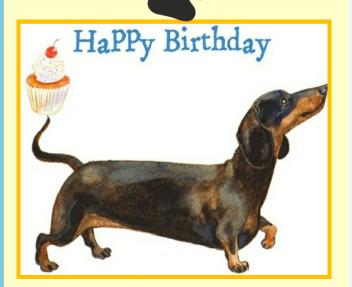
# Happy Birthday

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Farkle K Year 1 Freya G Year 6 Fergus K Year 5 Heath W Year 6 Octavia B Year 3 Aaliyah S Year 6 Scarlett F Year 4 Amelia W Year 2

week... The scariest moment is always just before you start.

Poppy's thought of the



## Celebrating our week



In Nursery after the children started to role play hair washing in the house we decided to open our own hair salon. The children have been the receptionists, the hairdressers and the customers, they have been washing, brushing, cutting, drying and styling each others hair. Gorgeous!





Year 1 had the pleasure of reading their stories (based on the story George and the dragon) to reception. We were so pleased with how well they listened to our stories and how much they enjoyed them.

**Reception** children were very excited to be invited to visit Year 1 children to hear them read some stories they had written.



Year 6 recapped the story of Macbeth . Here is Banquo's ghost and the avaricious Lady Macbeth. They have begun to learn the very formal subjunctive form.







This week, **Year 3** have enjoyed learning cricket skills and taking part in lots of different challenges.

**Year 2** have enjoyed looking at and creating algorithms in computing.

In Science this week year 5 explored the properties of some solids, we used sponges, rocks, cotton, plastic and others to test for flexibility, absorbance. hardness and reflectiveness amongst other tests devised by the children.



As part of their science topic, Living Things and their Habitats, **year 4** explored the school woods looking for where creatures live. We found lots of living creatures and examined them u set a magnifying glass.